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REPORT

TOPIC Soviet Zone Police Assigned to Work at the CHEMNITZ "Auto Union" FirmEVALUATION PLACE OBTAINED

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1. The "Auto-Union" Company, CHEMNITZ (N 51/K 66), put part of its work force on indefinite leave. The vacancies were filled by Soviet Zone police, who live in kasernes.
2. Willingness of the Soviet Zone police to participate "productively" in the building up of the Soviet Zone of Germany is officially given as the reason for the police working in the "Auto-Union" plant.

 Comment: Police assigned to work in industrial installations may actually be a disguised factory police.

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